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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P. O. Box 1450
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Re: Inventors: Anand A. Kekre
Assignee: VERITAS Operating Corporation
Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM OF PROVIDING CASCADED
REPLICATION
Application No.: 10/652,326
Examiner: Khanh B. Pham
Docket No.: VRT0098US
Filed: August 29, 2003
Group Art Unit: 2166

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page) (in duplicate)
- (3) Response To Non-Final Office Action (12 pages)
- (4) Replacement Sheets: Figs. 1-5 (5 sheets)
- (5) Annotated Sheets of Drawings Showing Changes to Figs. 1-5 (5 sheets)
- (6) Petition for Extension of Time – Two Months (1 page, in duplicate)



No additional fee is required.



The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining <u>After Amendment</u>		Highest No. Previously <u>Paid For</u>		Present <u>Extra</u>	<u>Rate</u>	Additional <u>Fee</u>
Total Claims	15	Minus	25	=	0	x \$ 50.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	6	Minus	4	=	2	x \$200.00	\$ 400.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee of _____ for the first filing of one or more multiple dependent claims per application						\$ 0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fee for Request for Extension of Time – Two Months						\$ 450.00

Total additional fee for this Amendment:

\$ 850.00


- ☒ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed document(s) after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, an extension of time is hereby requested.

- ☒ Please charge our Deposit Account No. 502306 in the amount of \$ 850.00

- ☒ Also, charge any additional fees required and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 502306.

Total: \$ 850.00

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